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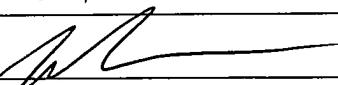
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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated December 2, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1-93, consideration of the enclosed Remarks is respectfully requested.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.